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Categorising a story as a myth does not necessarily imply that it is untrue. Religion and mythology differ, but have overlapping aspects. Many English speakers understand the terms "myth" and "mythology" to mean *fictitious* or *imaginary*. However, according to many dictionary definitions, these terms can also mean ***a traditional story or narrative that embodies the belief or beliefs of a group of people***, and this Wikipedia category should be understood in this sense only. The use of these terms in this category does **not** imply that any story so categorized is historically true or false or that any belief so embodied is itself either true or false.

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